

# SPEENHELPING HOSPICES

Supporting Helen House for Children, South Bucks Hospice at Home, Florence Nightingale and Rennie Groves Hospice Care

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**Gloria Holmes** – SHH committee would like to salute Gloria and express their appreciation for her effort and energy fundraising for our four hospices. Gloria was a longstanding member of SHH, a marvellous networker who always knew the right person to contact, she was the “meet and greet” at all our fundraising events and we will miss her enthusiasm and positivity.

Many thanks to all who came to the wine tasting evening in September. It was a very good evening. Simon Lloyd of Lloyd’s Wines ran the event for the second year running and treated us to very generous glasses of wonderful wines. No telling tales out of school but, a number of cars were left in the car park that night! £777 raised for the hospices.

Next up is the **Christmas Market** on Saturday 19th November at the Chapel from 11.00 to 4.00. We have some new stall holders this year and it promises to be a great event. Enjoy a glass of Bucks Fizz and one of Judy Keen’s famous sausage rolls or perhaps a bacon and brie bap. So, write your Christmas lists and come and buy early and local this Christmas.

**Pub Quiz Night** on Friday 2nd December at the Chapel Hall hosted by Al Bowyer and Jill Rogerson. Tickets are £15 to include home-made cottage pie and apple crumble. Go to our website [www.shh-shop.org](http://www.shh-shop.org) for further information and ticket sales. We can cater for all dietary requirements. So, get a table of friends together and pitch up for a lively night!

A call out to all the golfers in the village and beyond 15th March 2023, Martyn Evans is organising a **Charity Golf Day** for SHH at Burnham Beeches Golf Club, Full details on [www.shh-shop.org](http://www.shh-shop.org)

**Funding of hospices** - Independent hospices only receive up to a third of their funding from the government and are dependent on charitable donations to keep hospices running. Every event we run with your support helps to ensure children and adults receive respite and end of life care.

**Fundraising Challenge** - Help raise money for Speen Helping Hospices in 2023. Speen Helping Hospices are looking for people to raise money for SHH by taking part in a local fun run/half marathon/cycle race or other event.

If you are planning or considering taking part in a sporting event, would you help others by fundraising for Speen Helping Hospices as you run/cycle/swim? We, at Speen Helping Hospices will support you on your fundraising journey, we would promote your participation locally and via social media and our website to attract sponsorship.

If you are up for this challenge, now is the time to plan it, visit our website at <http://www.shh-shop.org/FundraisingChallenges.htm> for information.

## Other Dates for your Diary in 2022

**Carol Singing** - Dates to be arranged, the carollers will be out in good voice over three evenings. If you would like to get involved, please contact me on [grainnesuter@btconnect.com](mailto:grainnesuter@btconnect.com) or 07778803260

**For further information about the events check out our website [www.shh-shop.org](http://www.shh-shop.org)**

**Don’t forget** if you would like to support or sponsor a fundraising event, for example a golf tournament, offer a prize for a raffle or would like to help us in some way, please contact me [grainnesuter@btconnect.com](mailto:grainnesuter@btconnect.com) or 07778803260.

